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Richard Bryant is spending a few days in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Taylor of Portland visited Mrs. Alice Taylor, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Candace Smith spent the week end visiting her aunt, Mrs. Francis Heath, and family in Lovell.

Mrs. E. Linwood Brown is recovering from surgery at the Central Maine General Hospital, Lewiston.

The 4H local demonstrations will be held this evening (Thursday) at the West Parish Congregational Church.

Alanson Noble, Avery Angvine, Herbert Kittredge, Ernest Blake and Frank Lowell were cat hunting at C Pond during the week end.

Sp4 Ralph Merrill has received his discharge and arrived home from Nancy, France, where he has been stationed for two years.

Dr. and Mrs. John Trinward, Nancy and Kevin, visited Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Quinn, and family, in Manchester, N. H., over the week end.

Mrs. Jane Grover has finished work as bookkeeper at the store of Brooks Bros., Inc., and Mrs. Jo-Ann Christos has accepted a position there.

The Weight Control Class met Wednesday evening at 7:00 at the Primary School with 10 new members attending. Those interested are still welcome.

Arthur F. Lincoln, Jr., Gould Academy senior, has been nominated by Senator Edmund S. Muskie as third alternate for a vacancy at the U. S. Military Academy.

Miss Harriet Hillier entertained Saturday evening with a skating party. Those attending were: Cheryl Cummings, Rachel Keniston, Maryvonne Rolfe, Kathy Clough, Martha Keniston, Barbara Douglass, and Louann Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Powichowski of Uncasville, Conn., have moved to the Richard Douglass house on Chapman Street. He has employment at the Oxford Paper Co. in Rumford.

The United Cerebral Palsy Drive will take place in Bethel Feb. 1-Feb. 8. Mrs. James Hutchins is Bethel Chairman with assistant, Mrs. Eldon Greenleaf. The names of the volunteer workers will be announced soon.

The Bethel Savings Bank has now increased the maximum sum receivable on any one account from \$10,000 to \$15,000, and has extended the interest earning period from three days to the first seven days of any month on deposits made during those days.

Miss Nancy F. Brown was guest of honor at a surprise birthday party Friday evening to celebrate her 16th birthday. A lovely decorated cake was made by her sister, Linda. Those present were: Julia Brown, Carol Flint, Vivian Brown, Nancy Morin, Linda Brown and the honored guest. Games and refreshments were enjoyed.

NEW MARCH OF DIMES DRIVE IN FULL SWING

As the New March of Dimes fund raising drive moves into the third week, the activities and interest are extremely high throughout the local area. To date there are still a few "Mailers" which have not been returned. If anyone has lost or misplaced the return envelope, they may send their contribution to: The New March of Dimes, PO Box 148, Bethel. It is hoped that our return ratio will be 100% this year.

This past week's activities included card parties which were held at homes in the Bethel area. Anyone interested in the activity may contact Ruth Gilbert in West Bethel or Carolyn Brooks in Bethel. The parties will continue throughout the drive.

We are pleased to say that a game party will be held on January 27, at seven-thirty, by the Bethel American Legion. Excellent prizes will be given and refreshments will be served at intermission. Anyone interested in donating towels, pillow cases, wash cloths, etc., may do so by contacting the town Chairman. Pickup service will be rendered.

The local Mothers will assemble on January 24th, at 2 P. M., in preparation for the Mothers March which will take place on January 31st. Coffee and refreshments will be served.

As the New March of Dimes drive goes into the final weeks, we would like once again to stress the importance to everyone, regardless of age, to immediately make arrangements to obtain the necessary Polio shots. Polio can be controlled if everyone will do his or her part by first protecting themselves and secondly by supporting the New March of Dimes so that the research may continue in the vital fields of the New March of Dimes. PLEASE SAY YES.—Richard Thompson, Town Chairman.

Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Earlon Paine and Mrs. Ruth Dorion were: Mr. and Mrs. Roger Adams and children of Simesbury, Conn., Mr. and Mrs. Peter Shumway of Yonkers Point, N. Y., and Mrs. Katharine Adams of Thompsonville, Conn.

The Methodist Couples Club met Saturday evening at the Church Annex for a pot luck supper. The committee for next month is Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Randall Stevens. The group voted to sponsor a variety show. Plans are already underway. Mrs. Paul King is chairman assisted by Mrs. Norman Dock and Mrs. Richard Hamilton.

Snow and ice and wind and rain! Freeze and thaw, then freeze again! Keep the old bus well in check—It's mighty tough to trade a wreck!

COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

The first meeting of the Budget Committee was held on Jan. 12th with eight of the twelve members present. Fred Grover was elected chairman, and Richard Davis, secretary. A number of the articles that appear each year were considered and recommendations adopted to present to the annual town meeting. New articles will be considered at a future meeting. The 2nd meeting is being held on Jan. 19th, at which time the school budget will be presented. A summary of the Budget Committee recommendations will be published in this column after their final meeting.

Mid-January is considered time to inventory salt and sand, as it is the halfway mark of the winter for the use of these two items. The sand is not over one-half used and a carload of salt was received recently, therefore the supply should be sufficient for the remainder of the winter.

Sincerely,
Harold L. Bean

TEACHERS' CLUB TO MEET AT WEST PARIS, FEB. 6

The next meeting of the Five Town Teachers Club will be held at the West Paris school on Monday evening, Feb. 6. A representative of the Blue Cross and Blue Shield insurance plan will be there to tell about the program for MTA members. The West Paris teachers are serving as program committee.

ANTI-LIGHTING OF DEER DESERVES SUPPORT BY SPORTSMEN

The Maine Dept. of Inland Fisheries and Game is on record in favor of proposed legislation that would make it unlawful to illuminate deer at night during fall and winter months.

There are several problems connected with the use of lights to spot deer at night, according to Chief Warden Elmer H. Ingraham. Many "market hunters" use two cars, one containing a gun, the other a light. This makes a hard job for the warden unless he catches a person in the act of shooting a deer. Under present law, unless a person has both light and gun at night, the warden cannot charge night hunting.

Another practice of night hunters is to go out with only a light, perhaps having guns concealed in the underbrush. With only a light, they can locate deer and often locate the place of concealment of the warden who must investigate the lights he sees in the fields.

Some persons, who just like to see deer at night, unintentionally hamper the warden in a similar manner; when he goes to investigate their lights, he is wasting time he might be using to apprehend night hunters.

People living in rural areas are often concerned when they see lights in the fields. Fearful of bullets flying near their buildings, they call for the warden. In case the person with the light is merely enjoying himself by spotting deer, the warden has wasted valuable time. Often he has to travel some distance and be away from his real work for one or two hours.

Ingraham says that in his opinion, lighting brings on the poaching of land. While poaching doesn't bother night hunters, some rural landowners post their land in an attempt to stop the practice. This shuts off, to all hunters, areas which would otherwise have been open to public hunting.

Fish and game clubs in Maine are supporting proposed moves to prohibit any and all lighting of deer at night during the last three months of the year. The department urges all sportsmen and others interested in curbing night hunting to lend their support to this legislation when it comes before the 100th Legislature.

FOOD SALE

Friday, Jan. 20, 2 p. m.
at Mary Paine's,
sponsored by
Eleanor Gordon Guild

Bethel PTA Backs Driver Education

Bethel P. T. A. met January 17th at Crescent Park School with 60 attending. The meeting was opened by the president, Lincoln Fiske. The secretary's and treasurer's reports were read and approved. The treasurer reported \$106.44 on hand.

Steve Jacobs announced that the petitions for Driving Training had been received and turned over to Mr. Sahlberg. It was voted that the P. T. A. go on record as supporting the Driver Education Program in the Town of Bethel.

A question was brought out for discussion as to the suitability as to the length of the noon hour. After considerable discussion an off the record vote was taken which almost unanimously voted the wish that it remain the same.

The attendance banner was won by the 3rd grade.

The next meeting will be Feb. 21 at C. P. S. at 8:00 p. m. Subject matter will be: Bethel School Budget presented by Supt. Eric Sahlberg, and the School Committee, Stan Davis, Phil Glines and Rodney Howe will be there to discuss this program.

Peter Dionne, assistant math teacher with the State Dept. of Education, was introduced and he spoke on "Television in the Classroom." Telling us what Education T. V. was doing now and what was planned for the future. A question and answer period followed - his talk. Refreshments were served by the 5th grade mothers.

ACCIDENTS ARE SELDOM ACCIDENTAL, SAYS DR. KARL MENNINGER

The killer behind a steering wheel could be your emotion—out of control—says one of America's leading psychiatrists.

Anger, for example, can be murderous or suicidal for a motorist, according to Dr. Karl Menninger, chairman of the well-known Menninger Foundation in Topeka, Kansas.

Dr. Menninger, writing in the Winter 1961 issue of Home & Highway, policyholder magazine of the Allstate Insurance Companies, points out that we tend to avoid responsibility for our accidents.

"Accidents, we say, are caused by fate, by hard luck, by inadvertence or ignorance or carelessness or distraction or alcohol," write Dr. Menninger. But if a driver becomes careless, the psychiatrist asks, what factors in him contributed to that costly, careless moment?

"There is a little murder and a little suicide dwelling in every man's heart. Give him such a powerful weapon as a car, inflame his inhibitions or irritations or frustrations, then add alcohol or fatigue, and the murder or suicide may get committed."

Discussing "accident proneness," which has been a widely used term, Dr. Menninger writes in the 4 million circulation Allstate publication: "Today we would rather say that accident proneness is something that all of us have more or less, and more on one day than on another. The question is, what is your accident proneness level today?"

"It fluctuates with various factors. Reactions stemming from childhood, weariness, fatigue, a series of disappointments. And sometimes these feelings lead to an accident. "We know that relatively few accidents are wholly accidental. The number of accidents ascribable to pure chance must be well below 15 per cent."

Dr. Menninger concludes: "No healthy-minded person ever says: 'It can't happen to me.' He might meet a fool, you know. Or he might even temporarily be one."

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ALIENS MUST REGISTER THIS MONTH

C. C. Doughty, District Director of the Immigration and Naturalization Service urges all aliens in Maine who have not yet filled out alien address report forms, to do so before January 31st at the nearest Immigration Service office or local Post Office.

The Immigration official pointed out that the law requires all noncitizens, except persons in diplomatic status, foreign representatives to certain international organizations, such as the United Nations, and aliens here temporarily as agricultural contract laborers, to report their address to the Government each January.

Mr. Doughty added: "The parent or legal guardian of an alien child under 14 years of age must fill out the address report form for such a child in order to comply with the law."

He declared: "We have tried to make it as convenient as possible for noncitizens to meet the address report requirements; and, in view of serious penalties for willful violation, all persons subject to the address report law are urged to fulfill this obligation before the end of January."

Mr. Doughty advised: "It is easy for an alien to meet this requirement. He just goes to the nearest Immigration office or post office, fills out the address report form, and returns it to the clerk. Any noncitizen who is ill may send a friend or relative to obtain the card for him, and return it to the clerk after it has been completed by the alien."

The Immigration official said "18,000 aliens in Maine already have filled out address reports. He estimated that 20,000 such reports will be submitted before January 31st.

GOULD ACADEMY

Girls' Ski Meet

Gould Academy's girls' ski team competed in a three way meet at Farmington last Saturday. Farmington ski team took the meet with a score of 178, Gould was second with 168, and Stephens High of Rumford placed third with a score of 154. There were two competitive races: Slalom in the morning and the Giant Slalom in the afternoon. Gould girls who competed had the following results:

Slalom: 1st Ann Ordway, 30 seconds; 6th Nancy Cole, 36.8; 7th Kathy Towne, 39.4; 13th, Carol Bilderback, 62.5; 14th, Hilda Andrews, 62.8.

Giant Slalom: 1st Ann Ordway, 43.9; 6th Hilda Andrews, 52.3; 6th Nancy Cole, 57.6; 11th Jackie Saunders, 63.1; 12th Joanne Runyon, 64.6; 13th Carol Bilderback, 65.2; 16th Margie Dallinger, 70.

Sugarloaf Giant Slalom

On Sunday, January 15, the annual Giant Slalom Race was held at Sugarloaf Mountain in Kingfield. Several Gould Academy students participated, and the results of their racing is as follows:

Juniors, I and II, Girls: In a field of thirteen (Class I), Ann Ordway placed third with a time of 86.6.

Juniors, I and II, Boys: In a field of 29 (Class I), Jay Langley placed first with a time of 81.6; Russ Spooner placed twelfth, 92.2; Mike Davenport placed fourteenth, 92.8; Richard Wyman placed fifteenth, 93.9; and Dave Amrein placed twentieth, 99.6.

Juniors (Class II, boys): Fourteen boys competed in this race with Steve Parent coming in first, 82.8; Jim Corriveau, second, 89.6; and John Pratt, eighth, 98.8.

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Announcement has been made of the purchase of Crockett's Garage by Gould Academy. The garage property adjoins the Academy field house on lower Church Street. Plans for use of the property have not been announced.

The garage was built in 1919 by Ray E. Crockett, who has since operated it. Since World War II his son, Clayton, has been associated with him. In addition to usual lines of garage work, Mr. Crockett has served the community in the maintenance and repair of mechanical and electrical equipment and appliances of every description. He has been handicapped in recent years by poor sight and work has been carried on by his son.

He was the first in town to sell and service radios and has continued in the television era. He was in the first group in town 30 years ago to be interested in flying, and the first and only airplane made in Bethel was built in his shop.

T. ERASTUS WESTLEIGH

Thomas Erastus Westleigh died this Thursday morning at his home at West Bethel after a week's illness.

He was born in New Elm, N. S., April 5, 1886, the son of Solomon and Linda Uhlman Westleigh. Since 1900 he had lived in Mason and West Bethel and was a woodsman by trade.

He is survived by his wife, the former Lura Merrill; four sons, George R. of West Bethel, Ernest of West Baldwin, Henry of Bethel, and Alfred Merrill of West Bethel; a daughter, Mrs. Lillian Pulsifer of West Minot; three brothers, John and James of West Bethel and Stephen of Bethel; a sister, Mrs. Margery Mason of Norway; 21 grandchildren and several great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at the Greenleaf funeral home at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Rev. Clifford Laws officiating. Burial will be at Pine Grove Cemetery, West Bethel.

SUNDAY RIVER SLALOM

The second annual Sunday River Slalom will be run at Sunday River Skiway in Bethel, Maine, on January 29 for Class I and II boys and girls. The race this year will be held on the new Sunday Punch, termed by many observers to be one of the finest giant slalom slopes in New England. Individual prizes will be awarded, and the name of the racer with the best time of the day will be inscribed on the permanent Mel Jodrey Trophy, given in honor of the promising young skier who lost his life while water skiing last summer.

Standard entry blanks with accompanying \$1.50 entry fee and U. S. E. A. S. A. card number should be mailed to Race Director, Box 331, Bethel, Maine, and must be received by January 26. No phone or late entries will be honored. Sanctioned by the U. S. E. A. S. A., the race promises to enlist a field of some of the strongest junior racers in New England. Starting time is 10:00 a. m.

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The Week in Oxford County

Mrs. Julia Swan, 76, of East Dixfield, suffered first and second degree back burns on Tuesday morning. Mrs. Swan's clothing was ignited while she prepared breakfast at her home. Her condition was reported as good at the CMG Hospital.

Ernest F. Robinson, 20, of Brockton, Mass., was arrested in Andover, Sunday. Local authorities were suspicious of Robinson's free-spending. He was allegedly linked to a \$29,000 theft in Brockton.

Mr. and Mrs. William Waite of Dixfield recently observed their 50th wedding anniversary.

Sen. Norman K. Ferguson (R. Hanover) was elected chairman of the Oxford County delegation and Rep. Louise Lincoln (R-Bethel) was elected secretary.

The Winter Orchard meeting

will be held at Buckfield Grange Hall, Feb. 1. This meeting includes Oxford, Twin and Kennebec Counties with visitors from other areas. Insect and disease control and the feeding of trees will be discussed.

Breaks have been reported at summer camps on Worthley Pond. Dial telephones were taken from camps owned by Thomas Richardson of Rumford and Robert Welch, also of Rumford. The Sheriff's Department is investigating.

The farm home of A. L. Douglas, East Dixfield, was extensively damaged by fire Saturday afternoon. It was reported that an exploding oil stove in the part of the house occupied by Mrs. Myrtle Torrey caused the blaze. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gerard and family were occupants of the house.

Andover-East Andover

Mrs. Violet Swain, Corres.

Reggie Farrington and his sister, Carol, of East Andover escaped with minor injuries when their car was struck by a train at West Peru on Jan. 7. They are the children of Mr. and Mrs. J. Everett Farrington.

Mrs. Walter Danforth, Norman White and Mrs. Emily Thurston are patients at the Community Hospital in Rumford.

Mrs. Walter Kittredge and daughter, Karen, are staying with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Feener, for five months while her husband is on a tour to Iceland.

Eleven members of the Community Club of East Andover met at Jan. 10 with Mrs. Muriel Farrington. Letters from Russ White, Ft. Dix, N.J., and Bob Hines stationed on the "U. S. Saratoga" were read. The Sunshine committee had remembered Mrs. Walter Danforth and Norman White. The new committee will be Jeanette Chenery and Muriel Farrington. Mrs. Barbara Richardson gave a Sunday School report. The Club voted to buy a set of flags, a Christian and a fifty star American, for the Sunday School room at East Andover. The Club members will collect for the March of Dimes in East Andover and the money will be turned over to Mrs. Myra Crocker at the post office. Mrs. Chenery reported on the Girl Scout troop. Grace Simmons won the mystery package. The next meeting will be on Valentine's Day at the home of Violet Swain with Gace Simmons assisting. A delightful evening was held following the meeting when each member presented a favorite recipe and a sample.

The March of Dimes Coffees and Tea will be held the rest of the month. Containers are in the stores and envelopes have been sent home by the pupils.

Mrs. Naham Meisner underwent surgery at the Maine Medical Center Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Gammon of North Andover are the parents of a daughter, Laurie, born Jan. 7 at Rumford Community Hospital.

Miss Sandra Jean Stinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stinson of East Andover has been selected as DAR Candidate from Andover High. Miss Stinson has been very active during her four years in high school. She has played basketball every year and was captain her Senior year; softball, 1, 3 and 4 and was Field Captain, 3; T. A. B. Sec., 4; Prize Reading, 2; Glee Club, 2, 3 and 4; Square Dance Club, 3; Dirigo State, 3; Pres. of the Class, 3; Assistant Editor of "The Crier," 3 and Editor, 4; Senior Play, 4; National Honor Society, 3-4; Sec. of N. H. S., 4; Pineland Winter Carnival Queen, 2; A. H. S. Queen Candidate, 4. Miss Stinson is a member of the Andover Congregational Church; a pupil and teacher at the East Andover Sunday School and Secretary of the Pilgrim Fellowship. Miss Stinson's essay was "For What Avail if Freedom Fail."

The Andover High School Coronation Ball was held on Jan. 14 at the Gym with a good attendance.

Miss Joanne LeBlanc, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel LeBlanc of East Andover was crowned Carnival Queen by

1960 Queen Marsha Meisner. Miss LeBlanc is a sophomore



Miss Joanne LeBlanc
Andover High School
Carnival Queen

at AHS and was crowned in a lovely white gown and carried a bouquet of lavender and white flowers. Floyd Emerson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Emerson of Church Street was crowned King by Tom Michaud, escort of Miss Meisner.

The gym was decorated with lavender and white streamers and balloons. Decorations were under the direction of Mrs. Mary Johnston and Miss Kathleen Norris of the faculty. Lavender and white are the selected colors of the 1961 graduating class.

The procession was led by four members of the ski team, Bud Dunn, Leonard Littlehale, Arthur Hutchins and Wayne Morton, followed by 1960 Queen Marsha Meisner and Tom Michaud; Second Princess, Miss Stinson and Robert Hutchins; First Princess Miss Janet Doyen and Fred Emerson. Each girl had a lovely corsage and Queen Joanne had a bouquet too. The Royal Couple led the Grand March.

Chaperones for the evening were Mrs. Dean McCrillis; and Mr. and Mrs. Armand Michaud. Cookies and punch were served during the evening. Music was by the Blue Notes.

The three queen contestants brought in approximately \$500. Miss Stinson was presented with a piece of luggage; Miss Doyen a transistor radio and Queen Joanne a watch. The escorts and King received bill-folds.

The winter carnival was a success. Mexico won the meet with Andover second followed by Bridgton and Fryeburg.

A joint installation of the Pythian Sisters of Glenn Ellis Lodge and the Knights of Pythias of Cabot Lodge was held at the Andover Town Hall on Jan. 13, with fifty attending.

G. C. Elizabeth Campbell of York Beach installed the Sisters with the assistance of G. S. Alice Merrill and G. M. Eva Hutchins of Andover as Grand officer. Mrs. Vivian Barlow acted as Mistress of Ceremonies. Rev. Nathaniel Pearson of Andover Congregational Church gave a short prayer. Herschel

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D. D. Charles Bartlett of Mexico assisted by P. G. C. Thomas Ellis of Mexico as G. P. and P. D. D. Edward Glover as G. M. at Arms installed the Knights, Waldo Merrill of Andover as G. S. Mrs. Vivian Barlow acted as pianist. Officers installed were: C. C. Herschel Hall; V. C. David Chaisson; Prelate, Wilbur Feener; P. Sect. Victor Akers; M. of W. Lon Radford; M. of Arms, C. Freeman Farrington; Inner Guard, Edmund Withie. Not present at the installation was Sec. Roger Mills Jr.; Treas. Orville Meisner and O. G. Earl Meisner.

Speakers for the evening for the Sisters were G. C. Elizabeth Campbell; M. E. C. Grace Weeks of Mexico; P. P. C. Assoc. Gladys Ellis of Mexico. Speakers for the Knights were

SOUTH WOODSTOCK

— Mrs. Olive Davis, Corres. —

Ada Goodridge of Florida who is caring for her sister, in Berlin, N. H., called on Mrs. Harlan Andrews, Monday.

Isaac Andrews, who lived in South, Woodstock years ago passed away at his home in Turner. His funeral was conducted at I. W. Andrews & Son funeral home in Buckfield the past week.

G. M. at A. Averill, Fryeburg; D. D. Charles Bartlett, Mexico; P. G. C. Thomas Ellis, Mexico; P. D. D. Edward Glover; Alton Knights and Edward Stuart and others.

An oyster stew supper followed the installation with Pythian Sisters Muriel Farrington, Barbara P. Meisner and Roberta Learned and Knights Henry Roberts, Lon Radford and Herschel Hall on the committee. Louis Morton, Sr. made the stew which he has done for many years for the Knights.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Twitchell called on Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Andrews Sunday. Also Mr. and Mrs. Richard Baker and children called Sunday evening.

James Lamb got hit by a stick while playing with the children. He has had to be in bed for a day or two and is under the doctor's care. This happened over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Allen of Buckfield spent the day Sunday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sayward Lamb.

Mrs. Wendell Twitchell has

resigned from her position as first grade teacher at Bethel to take effect the last of the month. She has taken a position in Rumford as a second grade teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Davis spent Sunday at Bridgton visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Andrews, Mrs. Lillian Harmon and six children, Arthlene, Sharon, Nancy Lee, Gary, Gail and Mark Everett, the latest addition to the Andrews family, who is a week and a half old.

Rebecca Andrews is taking ski lessons at Sunday River ski slopes over the week ends.

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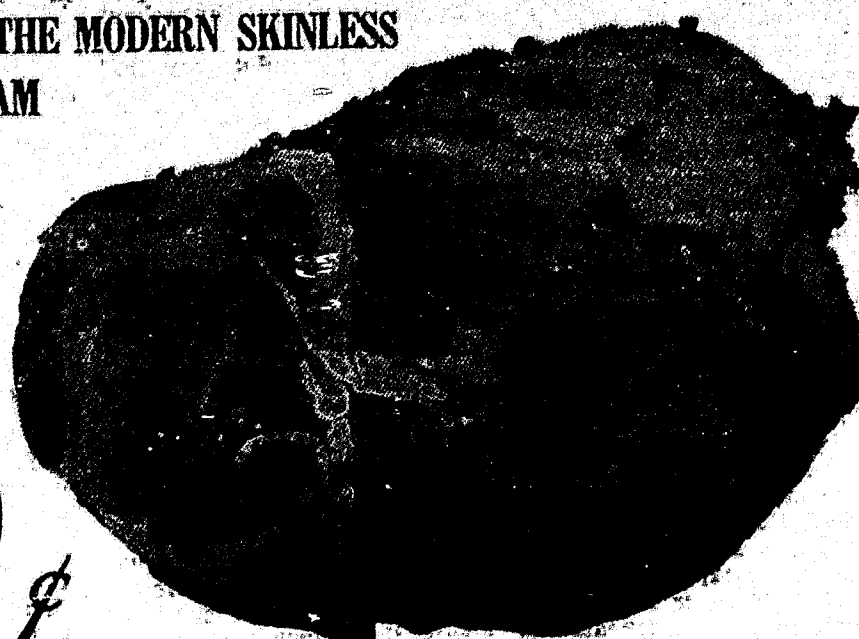
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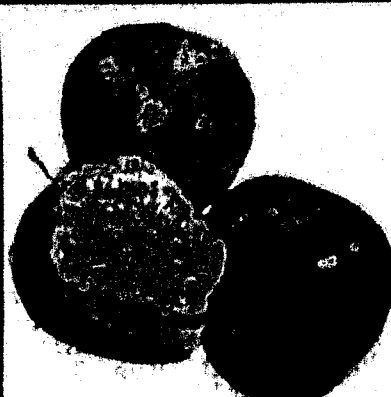
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Miss Bonnie Jean Cyr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Cyr, West Paris, became the bride of Bruce Abbott, son of Mrs. Evelyn Abbott of West Paris and the late Windsor Abbott, in a double ring ceremony, January 7, performed by Rev. Glenn McKee at the Universalist Manse.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a street length dress of white lace with jacket, with matching head-dress and gloves. She carried a white Bible centered with red and white roses. Attending as maid of honor for her sister was Miss Barbara Cyr. She wore a street length dress of pink lace with matching accessories. Cloyd Martin of South Paris, cousin of the bridegroom served as best man. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the IOOF Hall. The guest book was circulated by the groom's sister, Miss Cynthia Abbott. Gift hostesses were Maxine Gram and Gloria Twitchell. The wedding cake was made by the bride's aunt, Mrs. Cyr.

Serving refreshments were: Beverly Thayer, Helen Pepin,

Virginia Cyr, Irene Berry and Hazel Abbott.

Mrs. Abbott is a graduate of West Paris High School and is attending a Comptometer School at Portland. Mr. Abbott received his education at the West Paris school and West Paris High School. He is employed by the Penley Brothers. The young couple are at home in one of John Allen's new apartments on Pioneer Street.

MRS. INEZ M. CURTIS

Mrs. Inez M. Curtis, widow of Charles H. Curtis, died Sunday morning at the home of her son, Merton Curtis, where she had been for the past few weeks. Born in Peru, Maine, June 9, 1877, the daughter of George and Nellie Harper Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis moved to West Paris 54 years ago. She is survived by two sons, Merton of West Paris, and Linwood of Bridgton, a brother, Clarence Hammond and two sisters, Nellie Hammond, and Mrs. Susie Walker, all of Gorham, N. H., and two grandchildren. Funeral services from the I. W. Andrews funeral home, South Woodstock, Tuesday afternoon, Rev. Glenn McKee officiating.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Ross were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ray and family, Norway.

Guests of Mrs. Walter Inman during the week were her sisters, Mrs. Stanley Wentzell, Gorham, N. H., and Mrs. Ella Whitney, Oxford.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Pierce, South Paris, were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kalle Limmatta.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hadley entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of her father, Reynold Chase, who was observing a birthday. Attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Chase, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Chase, Ricky, Rachel and Randy Chase, Carmen and Roger Hadley.

James Lamb, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Sayward Lamb, underwent eye surgery Tuesday at the CMG Hospital.

The Ring-McKeen A. L. Post and Auxiliary will hold game parties at the Legion Home, Wednesdays at 7:30 p. m.

Rev. and Mrs. Felix Mayblom are entertaining his niece, Miss Anneli Simola, of Lahti, Finland. This is the first time

she and her uncle have met.

Miss Martha Perham attended a board meeting of the United Youth Council of Maine at the First Parish Church in Portland on Saturday.

Fast Noble Grands will be entertained at a 6:30 supper, Thursday evening, at the home of Mrs. Evelyn Abbott.

Durward Ring is a patient at the CMG Hospital, Lewiston. Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Dougherty and family, Rumford, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Dougherty during the week end.

Miss Donna Andrews and friend, both nurses aide trainees at the Rumford Community Hospital are spending a few days at Donna's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ring.

Ashley Allen and two children are recovering from whooping cough. Ashley had been confined to his home for seven weeks.

High School Notes

The remodeling of the High School office has been completed. Work on the new library is nearing completion. Six new chairs have been donated by Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Reid and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pratt, the Ring-McKeen A. L. Post and Auxiliary and the junior, senior and sophomore classes of the school. The West Paris Grange donated money for a chair or other equipment. Books have now been arranged on the shelves. The first dedicated book to be given is in memory of Lee Corliss, son of Dr. and Mrs. Leland Corliss, formerly of this town. This book was given by Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hibler. Principal Reid has announced that anyone who would like to donate books in memory of someone or otherwise and all other gifts would be accepted and appreciated by the students and faculty.

Term exams are scheduled for this week. The following members of the Glee Club were accepted in try-outs at Mexico to take part in the Maine Music Festival to be held in the spring: James Burgess, Jane Perham, Shariene Palmer, George Hibler, Sandra Hill and Pauline Todd.

West Paris Grange will convene for a regular session, Thursday evening, at 7:30. Frank and Alice Littlehale will be honored at this meeting as it is their 54th wedding anniversary.

Ladies' Night will be observed and the following officers will occupy the chairs: Worthy Master, Madeline Jacobs; Overseer, Edna Briggs; Lecturer, Eva Rogers; Steward, Katie

cottage at Jewett Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sanderson and Warren Lapham were in Bath, Bailey's Island and Woolwich, Tuesday, Jan. 10.

Gregory Weymouth visited at the home of Larry Herrick over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gardiner Smith and daughter were supper guests of Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Trimback, Saturday night.

Percy Upton visited his sister, Mrs. Eva Lord, Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Lucia Stephens of Norway was a caller there also.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Morrill and daughter, Kathy-Jo of Bethel, visited Mrs. Morrill's parents, the Sandersons, Friday. The men went ice fishing at Jewett Pond and got eight pickerel.

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Mrs. David Foster, Corres.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith, Jr. and sons, Dale and Jeffrey, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Gross in Jefferson, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith, Sr., visited Mrs. Lewis Verrill and family on Milton Road, Bethel, Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Hastings returned home this week end from visiting Mr. and Mrs. Al Bancroft in Cape Elizabeth. Robert Hastings expects to be home from the Central Maine General Hospital this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Merrill and sons, Mike and Jeff, of Connecticut, were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip DesRoches. Mrs. Ida Fortin and Gerald; Mrs. Jack Perry of Hanover were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip DesRoches.

Merle Newton has returned to Rumford where he has work. Victor Robinson is visiting Lucius Robinson in West Peru this week.

Mr. and Mrs. David Simmons and children of Andover were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Remington.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Hutchins, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hutchins and daughter, Bonnie, of Andover, were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Maggie Newton.

Mrs. Gordon Coffin and Mrs. Marguerite Swan of Norway were Saturday visitors of Mrs. Maggie Newton.

Tamminen; A. Steward, Arlene Farr; Chaplain, Marjorie Ellingwood; Treasurer, Elva Ring; Secretary, Frances Ward; Gatekeeper, Adeline Stevens; Ceres, Lena Dean; Pomona, Olive Searles; Flora, Minnie Buck; L. A. S. Marion Mayhew; Pianist, Gladys McKee; Exec. Com., Alice Littlehale, Iona Andrews, Edith Ellingwood.

Refreshments will be served by the Brothers, at the close of the meeting.

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SUNDAY RIVER

— Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Corres. —

Word has been received that Raymond Foster has been ill most of the time since he went to New York. He is to undergo surgery before he returns home. We wish him speedy recovery as we miss a neighborly light in their home.

Our lights were out for a time Sunday morning.

Ernest Dupuis has moved part of his logging equipment to Peru where he is going to work through the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. David Fleet and children were at R. M. Fleet's Sunday afternoon.

last week. Sympathy is extended by all to her bereaved relatives. Sympathy is also extended to the family of Lewis Verrill.

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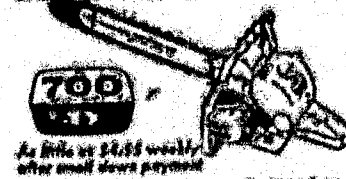
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CHURCH NEWS

Bethel Methodist Church
Richard M. Hamilton, Pastor
Sunday, January 22:
9:45 a. m. Church School.
11:00 a. m. Family Worship
Hour. Nursery Program.
6:30 p. m. Intermediate and
Senior MYF.
Wednesday, January 25:
7:30 p. m. Eleanor Gordon
Guild at the home of Mrs. Richard Hamilton.
Thursday, January 26:
7:00 p. m. Choir Rehearsal.

West Parish
Congregational Church
Clifford W. Laws, Minister
Sunday, Jan. 22:
Morning Worship, 11:00.
Church Nursery, 11:00.
Church School, 9:30.
Pilgrim Fellowship, 6:30.

The Church of the Open Bible
At the Universalist Church.
Carl Mores, Pastor.
Lorenda Freeman, Organist
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.
Church service, 11:00 a. m.
Midweek Prayer Service
Wednesday night at 8 o'clock
at the home of Robert Billings.

Christian Science
"What is Truth?" is a vital
question to be considered at
Christian Science services Sunday.

Scripture: "I will cry unto
God most high; unto God that
performeth all things for me.
He shall send from heaven, and
save me from the reproach of

him that would swallow me up.
God shall send forth his mercy
and his truth." (Psalms 57:2,3).
How Christian Science
Heals: WGAN-Radio, 660 kc.,
Prayer is Equal to Every Em-
ergency. Television: Chan. 8—
Can Prayer Help Young People
in Emergencies; Channel 13—
Redemption Through Under-
standing God; Channel 5—
"The Kingdom of God is With-
in You."

Catholic Services
The Holy Sacrifice of the
Mass will be offered Sunday at
9:00 in the American Legion
Rooms.

West Bethel Union Church
Joseph Bradley, Pastor
Mrs. Harriet Stowell, Organist
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.,
Mrs. Olive Head, Supt.
11 a. m. Worship Service.
Choir practice Saturday, 6:30
p. m.

Chapel Aid Society, 2nd and
4th Wednesdays at 7:30 p. m.
Locke Mills Union Church
Church Services, 9:30 a. m.
Sermon: "Why Be A Chris-
tian—The Christian Life Is
the Hardest."

Joseph and Carlene Bradley,
ministers. Mrs. Richard Mel-
ville, organist and choir direc-
tor. Choir rehearsal every
Wednesday at 8:30 p. m.

Sunday School, 10:45 a. m.
Richard Melville, superinten-
dent. Mrs. Raymond Seames,
secretary and treasurer.

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Bethel "Teen"—

Congratulations on the cou-
rage to present your problems!
We, as parents, may not entire-
ly agree, but it's the only way
we have of trying to help you.

At first some of us active in
youth affairs may have felt a
little frustration, but appar-
ently you and your friends do
have a problem. Now let's cor-
rect it.

I do agree with you that
Bethel certainly does not have
adequate facilities for its
youth or should I say "super-
vised activities," but there are
many problems involved that
have to be taken into consid-
eration. One of them is money,
as the town does not appropriate
money for these things and they
have to be done by individuals.

Do you know what it costs
to feed a family for a week? Do
you know what your clothes
cost for a year? Do you know
what your education costs? Do
you know the average wage
in Bethel for a week? Do you
know about taxes, insurances,
and medical bills? Do you
know that most of us have to
work five to six days a week,
plus odd jobs to be able to do
even as well as we do?

You, as teen-agers may think
of us as old, but let me assure
you that youth has no monopoly
on problems. We would like to
be able to have just as good a
time as you. We as parents love
you all, and many are the sac-
rifices a parent makes that we
try to keep from troubling you
with. I am not disagreeing—it's
just the lack of funds for an
extensive youth program and
also lack of time and energy to
promote them.

Are you aware of the things
that are being done? There are
youth groups in town where
you are always welcome—or do
you consider these "corny"?
Why not give them a try? I

promise you'll have plenty to
do.

I sense that Saturday night
is one night that troubles you.
By tradition I feel that this
should be the grown-up's night.
We also deserve some recrea-
tion and it doesn't seem unre-
asonable to me to have you baby
sit or stay home one of the
week-end nights—does it to
you?

New Year's Eve the M. Y. F.
gave a dance at the annex of
the Methodist Church—all
teen-agers were invited regard-
less of religion. Where were
you? It was a flop! I might
add that I consider that the
church leaned over backward
to let this occur. There are
people who are not too happy
over dances in a church build-
ing—but they let us do it for
you young people.

You mention small minds of
parents; this I know you don't
mean! As a youth advisor I
have never had a parent or
teacher refuse to cooperate or
help in any way they can.

Now, I don't know you but
you have a problem. I will sign
my name at the end of this, and
my number is in the phone
book. My job and my hobby is
youth—come and see me. We
will sit by the fire, have some-
thing to eat and hash this over.
Bring a friend or two if
you wish, and I'll take you
home.

Don't get me wrong teen-
ager! I'm all for you! Any
problems we discuss are strictly
confidential—ask any kid
that knows me. Maybe I can
help you, and maybe you can
help your friends can help me. We
will talk about your dance.

You had the courage to write
the article, now have the cou-
rage to follow it through. Once
again I admire you for speak-
ing up and stating your prob-
lem—that's what we want!
Then we can know better how
to correct our failings!

Ken Brooks

Haydn S. Pearson

COUNTRY FLAVOR

WINTER FAITH

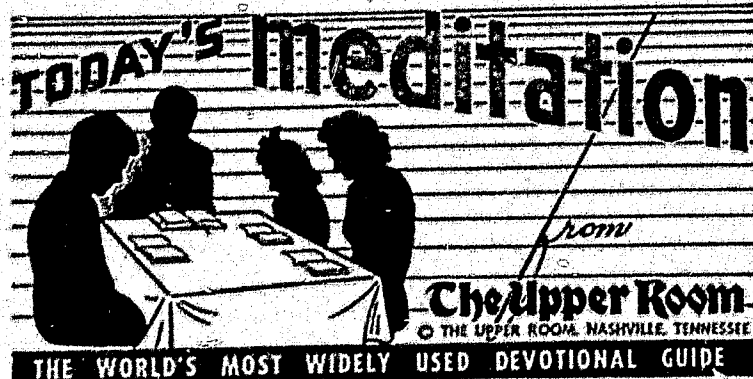
Winter is Nature's time of
simplicity. Life is plain and
elementary. Clearness marks
the landscape. Fields and
fences, upland ridges and all-
huddled trees on the heights
resemble a Grant Wood paint-
ing.

Since man became man, he
has struggled to control and
change his environment. The
upward trail is starved by ev-
ents that mark his conquest of
material barriers.

What is the meaning of win-
ter to restless man? What is
the lesson that the Great Plan
reveals? The simplicity of Na-
ture in the heart of winter is
a reaffirmation of a faith that
will have no less to offer in
the heart of summer.

Beneath the struggle and
restlessness, greater than sur-
face cynicism and the veneer
of artificiality, is the never-
dying fire that compels a man to
look at the stars on a winter
night and know there is pur-
pose in life.

One must believe in a pur-
pose when he sees mountain
heights sparkling in winter
sunshine, when he sees beauty
in drifted snow, or thinks of
life waiting in frozen humus
to respond to the miracle of
spring. Winter faith is no dif-
ferent from the faith of spring,
summer or autumn; but winter
faith is deeper and more
searching. Man, impatient and
restless, needs to take time to
ponder the simple and true. In
winter a man has the chance to
look at Nature's simplicity and
compare it with the qualities of
his own mind.



Thursday, January 19

Read Ephesians 1:15-23
The church of the living God,
the pillar and ground of the
truth. (1 Timothy 3:15.)

Thirty-five years ago, Nazel
El Nassara, meaning "Village
of the Nazarenes," was poor,
backward, and miserable. This
village in Egypt had no schools,
no social center, no means of
help. It was utterly neglected
by all.

A true shining light—a small
church, with a young devoted
pastor—brought hope to that
village and neighborhood. Vi-
tal preaching, praying, Bible
reading, and a teaching mini-
stry awakened the community
to meet its needs through the
power of the living Christ.

The village, now having
2,400 persons living in it, has
become a dynamic center of
useful service. It has given to
Egypt more than one hundred

pastors, doctors, chemists,
teachers, and engineers, plus
scores of efficient businessmen
and leading officials.

Lately, it started a Laubach
literacy campaign, which
swept over the place and neigh-
borhood, with a Bible team as
follow-up.

What a blessing is the church
in a needy world!

PRAYER: We thank Thee, O
God, for all Thy church has
meant to us and to our com-
munity. We pray Thee to fill
it with power needed to
change and save communi-
ties of people from sin and
sorrow, pain and ignorance.
In Jesus' name. Amen.

Thought For The Day
As a church member, what
service can I render to my
community today?

Nargis Alkas Attallah (Egypt)
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ALBANY-WATERFORD

L. L. Brown, Corres.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Brown
have purchased the Sarah B.
Farnham place at East Stone-
ham.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jewell
were in Montreal, Canada, re-
cently.

Fred Sayward had dinner
Saturday with the Ernest
Browns. Other recent callers
at the same place were Berkeley
Henley, Ray Jewell, Mr. and
Mrs. Don Brown, Mr. and Mrs.
Graham Bachelder, Mr. Ham-
lin, Brewster Page, Walter

Lord, Norman Cummings, Ber-
trand Rugg Jr., Mahlon Grover,
June Penfold, June Cummings,
Rhoda Gray, Margaret Day,
Harvey Walker, Elmer Saun-
ders, Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Gro-
ver, Barbara and Diana Say-
ward also Mr. and Mrs. La-
mont Brown who are spending
the winter at Bryant Pond at
the home of Harry Howe, and

Irving and Helen L. Morse.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown
were in Bethel Friday morning.
Mr. and Mrs. Don Brown
were in Portland Jan. 6th and
visited their daughter and fam-
ily the Fred Saywards.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton White
of Norway spent last week end
with the Don Browns at Lake
Keewaydin.

plumber is taxed to subsidize
the farm program enacted to
benefit the Minnesota farmer.
We are all being taxed to sub-
sidize each other."—Charles R.
Sligh, Jr., Executive Vice
President, NAM.

"A man owes it to himself
to become successful. Then he
owes it to the Bureau of Internal
Revenue."—The Wingfoot
Clan, publication of Goodyear
Tire & Rubber Company.

The tendency to increase
driving speeds comes to most
of us with the arrival of spring.
Let's make certain, however,
the State Police caution, that
we not allow the exuberance
which accompanies better weath-
er to influence us to drive at
excessive speeds.

"There was a time when a
fool and his money were soon
parted. Now it happens to ev-
erybody."—Corcoran News, pub-
lication of Consolidated Ren-
dering Company, Boston.

"Be thankful for your prob-
lems. If they were less difficult,

someone with less ability would
have your job."—The Postage
Stamp, publication of Gilliam
Service, Inc., Boston.

"If the politicians are prom-
ising the voters less these days,
it's because they've already
given them almost everything."
—Executives Digest.

"Pro-rated per family, the
total government debt is twice
as large as the average fam-
ily's mortgage and consumer
debts. I should think that
would not be a unreasonable
place to stop."—Gerald L. Phil-
lippe, Comptroller, General El-
ectric Company.

"A sound tax system must be
fair, easy to administer, and
adequate to cover government
expenditures. Our present fed-
eral system meets none of
these accepted criteria."—Gor-

don Grand, Vice President, Olin
Mathieson Chemical Corpora-
tion.

"Continuing emphasis on
change, on a better product—
in other words, on progress in
technology, has been the ma-
jor force responsible for the
growth and development of our
country."—Harlow H. Curtice,
Director, General Motors Corp-
oration.

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simistic about the stock market it is increasingly difficult to re-
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looks for an industry that is de-
pression-proof yet offers an op-
portunity for capital gains and
growth over the years. What bet-
ter industry presents itself to the
investor than cosmetics.

Since 1947 sales of beauty prod-
ucts have increased every year
with the annual growth rate esti-
mated around 8%. While the
growth in sales of cosmetics from
1948 through 1957 correlated very
closely with that of disposable
income in the last three years it
has been growing at a faster rate.
It is interesting to note that many
of the leading companies have not
had their earnings affected during
so-called periods of business re-
cession. Furthermore, we can find
at least three leading companies
whose earnings have increased
every year for at least the last six
years.

At no time before World War II
did this business grow as it has in
the past few years. There are sev-
eral reasons for this growth. In
the first place, the housewife has
had more money to spend than
ever before in history. Secondly,
the industry is aggressively look-
ing for new markets through the
media of advertising, promotion,
house-to-house sales and expand-
ing outlets to include chain stores
and drugstores and other areas
which have access to lower income
groups. Finally, the teenager has

Bethel Mother's Views On Home Work

The following letter was
placed in the question box for
discussion at the meeting of the
Parent Teacher Association
Tuesday. As it did not come to
the attention of those present,
it has been sent to the Citizen
for publication. This mother's
experience is the same as that
of other local parents and we
are pleased to present it here.

Dear Parents and Teachers:

I have three children in Cres-
cent Park School all of whom
came home one night last week
with instructions to "get help
from your parents, if you don't
understand it." With the first,
I really made progress; the sec-
ond I hope we did, and by the
time I got to the third it was
way past bed time, so I sent
her to bed. I have neither the
patience nor the education to
be a teacher of books. I don't
think many of us parents do
have. We were taught different
methods and to find the mod-
ern method in our children's
books is just about impossible.
When I went to school, we
learned one page, turned it and
learned the next—none of this
confusion of part of an assign-
ment on page 31 and the rest
on page 99—all the same type
of example.

I have the greatest concern
for my children's education
and I'll help them in any way
that I possible can, but why
can't they learn at school? Six
hours a day was all I needed
to get as far as grade 6 any-
way. Gould Academy requires
homework and plenty of it, but
for now let's not forget that
these are grammar school age.

Most fathers don't have to
put in a 9 hr. day as my kids
have lately. Why can't they get
it at school? I think the an-
swer is confusion. I have visit-
ed a few times and I couldn't
have spelled "cat" or added 2
plus 2, it was so noisy. The
teacher was constantly asking
for their attention. After finally
getting everyone settled, 3
or 4 put away their things and
walked out (to band practice
I found out later). Why not
band after school? After they
all left, the teacher began all
over again trying to keep their
minds or what she was explain-

ing at the board. Doesn't she
have enough authority to keep
discipline? If you remember
we sat in the corner, stayed
after school, (not one of mine
has in 7 years) or ever got sent
home for discipline. After the
latter happened once, you can
"bet your boots" that I was
very careful not to whisper or
throw paper airplanes.

I put an end to a walk down
to the town library after seeing
the November rank cards.
There are books here at home
and in the C. Park library that
my children have never read.
Our children have to get their
reading, writing and arithmet-
ic well or they will never see
the inside of Gould. They can
learn astronomy and biology,
etc., in Gould. We must not
neglect the 3 R's to learn these
new subjects. It almost seems
that we're forcing in so many
new subjects and ideas that
not any are being learned solid-
ly. My 6th grader has made a
"State of Maine" booklet every
year since the 4th grade—each
year more advanced, of course.
Why not just one thorough
booklet in the 7th or 8th grade?
It seems to me that much time
has been wasted.

I think that we need better
planning, better discipline and,
if home work keeps coming, a
course for parents that they
may teach their children.

Let's try and help the par-
ents and teachers and most of
all give the kids a break and
give them time to play after
school.

Here are the schedules of
what my 3 did at school on a
recent day:

Child No. 1: Morning—glee
club, arithmetic (½ hour), re-
cess, language, spelling, lunch;
afternoon—music all after-
noon!

Child No. 2: penmanship,
spelling, music, assignment for
arithmetic, recess, did arith-
metic, saw blood thru micro-
scope, lunch, social studies (all
afternoon).

Child 3: arithmetic, spelling,
recess, reading, work books,
lunch, story, language, music
until 2 p. m., social studies.

Child No. 3 is a good student
with no homework hardly ever.

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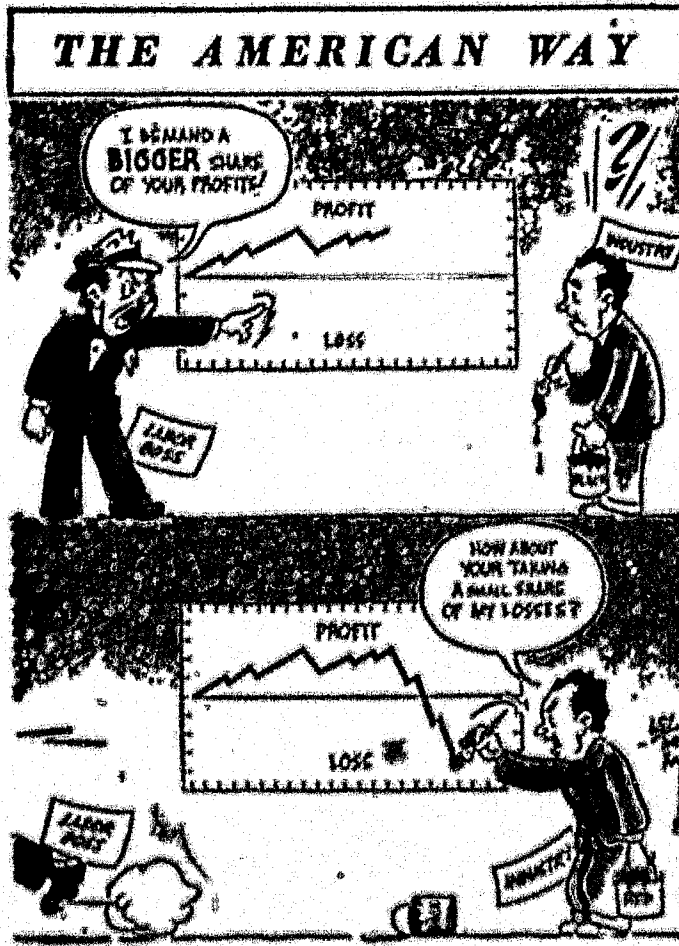
Since 1947 sales of beauty prod-
ucts have increased every year
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mated around 8%. While the
growth in sales of cosmetics from
1948 through 1957 correlated very
closely with that of disposable
income in the last three years it
has been growing at a faster rate.
It is interesting to note that many
of the leading companies have not
had their earnings affected during
so-called periods of business re-
cession. Furthermore, we can find
at least three leading companies
whose earnings have increased
every year for at least the last six
years.

At no time before World War II
did this business grow as it has in
the past few years. There are sev-
eral reasons for this growth. In
the first place, the housewife has
had more money to spend than
ever before in history. Secondly,
the industry is aggressively look-
ing for new markets through the
media of advertising, promotion,
house-to-house sales and expand-
ing outlets to include chain stores
and drugstores and other areas
which have access to lower income
groups. Finally, the teenager has

become a more important cus-
tomer, especially the young girl
between fifteen and nineteen years
old. In 1957 this age group made
up 6.9% of the total population.
By 1960 it had risen 7.4% and
by 1965 it is estimated that it will
rise to 8.7%. The teenage girl is
far more beauty conscious than
formerly and has more spending
money with which to indulge her
needs.

Cosmetics are marketed in two
ways: one by house-to-house sell-
ing and the other through con-
ventional retail outlets. Of the
companies doing house-to-house
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Mrs. C. James Knights, Corres. Herman Cole recently called on Fred Whitman.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Buck spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood Buck and family.

Miss Lorraine Cole, a student nurse at the CMG Hospital, Lewiston, spent the week end with her parents. Her roommate, Miss Susan Cary, of Barre, Vt., was with her.

Clayton Barnett and family, of Dixfield, Mrs. William Barnett and Mrs. Viola Gibbs of Rumford, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rosenberg and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Campbell and three children of South Paris, Mrs. Addie Campbell of Portland, Miss Patty Monk, Auburn, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Knights and three children, Mrs. Mary Knights and William

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were at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. James Knights and Shari on Sunday afternoon for cake and ice cream in honor of Mrs. Frank Campbell's birthday.

Mrs. Peter Rosenberg and children were at Rumford Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Mary Knights and Billy, Mrs. C. James Knights and granddaughter, were also at Rumford.

Mrs. Clyde Knights was at Auburn Friday afternoon with Mrs. Frank Campbell, South Paris. Mrs. Knights' sister, Miss Patty Monk, returned home with her for the week end.

Mrs. Edgar Davis is staying days with Mrs. Sherbourne York.

Herman Cole and Everett Cole attended the funeral of Lewis Verrill at Andrews funeral parlor last Friday afternoon.

MAGALLOWAY

Mrs. Bessie Harvey, Corres. — Mrs. Mabel Cameron celebrated her 92nd birthday, Friday, January 13th. Guests were her son, Ewen Cameron, with his wife, Helen, her mother, Mrs. Madeline Mathieson, two granddaughters, Mrs. Elizabeth Vaughn and Mrs. Virginia Lane, one great grandson, Cameron Howard, a neighbor, Mrs. Augusta Ferris, Miss Martha Bennett and Peter, a niece and great nephew also attended. Ice cream and cake were served and she had many cards and fine gifts. Mrs. Jean Howard was not present owing to the death of her mother-in-law, Mrs. Jennie Hooper, at Portland, on January 10th, at the age of 92 years.

Glentwood Bennett with his wife, Erma, visited his father, Archie Bennett, last Friday.

Diane Hinkley, aged 10, of Wilson's Mills, suffered No. 3 burns Saturday last week when a teakettle over turned filled with boiling water. She is in a critical condition at the Farmington Memorial Hospital. Extensive skin grafting will be necessary.

A stork shower was given Mrs. Rosalie Brown at the home of Mrs. Gwen Littlehale on Saturday evening. She was given many nice gifts and a lunch was served.

Officers were installed at the Aziscoos Grange hall Friday evening.

Church services were held at the Wilson's Mills Church Sunday morning.

Mrs. Mary Linnell is some better and his home from the St. Louis Hospital in Berlin. Her daughter, Brenda, flew home from Lamona, Fla., last week.

Miss Kathy Harvey was home from Peru, Maine, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bragg, Martha and Peter Bennett, were in Colebrook, Saturday.

Fred Bennett is very ill at the Stewartstown Hospital. His granddaughter closed his house in Magalloway Sunday for the winter. It is the first time this house has been closed in over 42 years.

UPON

Mrs. C. A. Judkins, Cor. — Armand Lavallee went to Florida, a week ago, with Howard Douglass of Bethel. He expects to be gone about a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lombard visited their daughter, Mrs. Ivan Garey, and family, at Sunday River, on Friday, Jan. 13.

A school board meeting was held at the home of C. A. Judkins, Monday evening, Jan. 16.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Judkins were in Rumford on business Friday, Jan. 13.

Trucks are now busy hauling birch logs for Richard Williamson, which he has been cutting on the Brown Co. and Coe & Pingree Co. land near Durkee's.

Gould Academy students home over the week end were Fred Judkins II, Judy Judkins and Juanita Bernier.

GILEAD

Mrs. Florence Holder, Cor. — Irving Leighton was in Gray Tuesday to attend the funeral services of his brother-in-law, Ira Cole, which were held at the Wilson funeral home.

Roland Tardiff of Lewiston was a visitor in town, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sawyer of Portland were week end guests of friends in town.

Clayton Bryant was in Portsmouth, Wednesday.

SCHOOL NEWS

Last week a testing committee was formed to look into the advisability of formulating a testing program for all of the schools in Union 22. Teachers serving on the committee include Donald Duplessies, England instructor, West Paris H. S.; Mrs. Floribel Haines, Principal, Locke Mills School, and Mrs. Frances Gunther, Grade 7, Crescent Park School.

At the committee's first meeting held at the Crescent Park School on January 12, the members discussed the purposes of a testing program as it relates to providing pupil information for the parents, teachers and secondary schools. They also began consideration of the pro's and con's of school testing. And views were also expressed by committee members on the value of a testing program in terms of providing an overview of pupils in terms of: ability and achievement; indications of areas in the program of studies which should be reviewed for purposes of increased effectiveness of teaching; and, the possibility of obtaining a measure or indication of class achievement year by year.

The next committee meeting is scheduled for January 26 at the Locke Mills school at which time members will present their ideas and suggestions for the preparation of a preliminary report on a program of testing. Subsequently, it is planned to distribute a preliminary report to school personnel for comment.

The Bethel School Committee met with West Bethel parents at the West Bethel School on Tuesday, January 10, to discuss the possibility of reopening the second room next year. A consensus of opinion voiced at the meeting seemed to indicate a willingness on the part of West Bethel parents to have the room reopened and the education program extended to include the Sub-Primary through Fifth Grades. Reopening the second room is being considered by the committee in order to provide additional space.

On Monday, January 23, a group of teachers will meet with John Hastings, a Science Research Associates representative, to discuss the SRA Reading Laboratory. As reported earlier a number of Bethel teachers have expressed interest in the possibility of using the laboratory to provide pupils with additional reading material that aids the pupil in the development of reading rate and comprehension.

SOUTH ALBANY

Mrs. Roy Wardwell, Cor. — Miss Sally Brooks from Bryant Pond was a week end guest of her classmates, Jean and Jane Wardwell.

Verna Robinson and Herman Getchell from Gorham, Maine, were Saturday callers at Leon

Kimball's and Roy Wardwell's. Lester Wiley and Oliver Frechette were recent callers at Wardwells.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Ring from Bryant Pond were dinner guests of the Arthur Wardwells on Sunday.

Ivan Kimball and children called on his father, Leon Kimball, Saturday evening.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation for help, sympathy cards and beautiful flowers, given by our relatives, friends and neighbors during our recent bereavement. We also wish to thank the Rev. Richard Hamilton and the Greenleaf funeral home.

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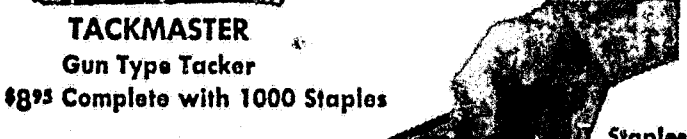
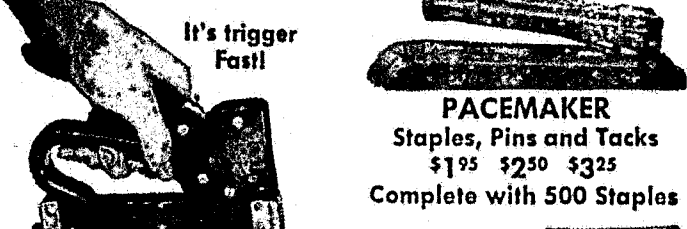
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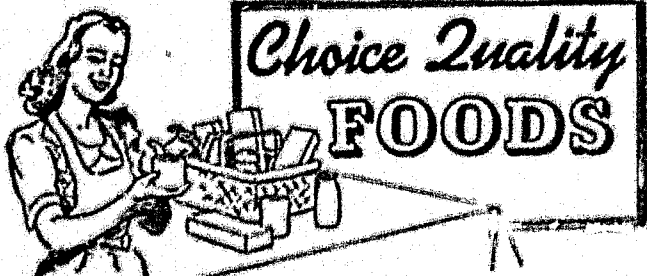
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BRYANT POND

Mrs. Juanita B. Allen, Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph A. King received word that their grandson and wife, Mr. and Mrs. King Fillmore of San Francisco, Calif., are the proud parents of a baby daughter, born January 11, named Carol.

The community was saddened by the tragic accident which took the life of Lewis Verrill this past week. A tractor upon which he was working ran over him and he was rushed to the Rumford Community Hospital where he underwent surgery for the amputation of his leg. He never recovered from the operation. Sincere sympathy is extended to his widow, Mrs. Frances Verrill, and children, Judy, Arthur, Dorothy, Nancy and Helen and other relatives of the deceased. A gift of money was given to the family by neighbors and friends.

Woodstock Fire Dept. was called out to the former Harry Crockett residence. The fire was quickly under control, however, and there was only slight damage.

The Junior Choir of the Universalist Church will go to Portland, Saturday, January 21, for an audition at WCSH, for the Youth Cavalcade program. The choir members who are being auditioned are: Elinor Andrews, Bethany Andrews, Donna Morgan, Brenda Wing, Lorraine Redman, Anita Gaugler, Paul Howe, David Howe, Paula Howe, Wayne Howe, Teddy Ring and Richard Packard. There are two other groups being auditioned on this same date for Youth Cavalcade. Mrs. King, of Bethel, who gives private music lessons has the following pupils going: Philip House, Brian Buck, Richard Packard, Paul Howe, Teddy Ring. Also the First Grade Rhythm Band in charge of their music teacher, Mrs. Blake, with transportation furnished by Mrs. McAllister, Mrs. Brooks, and Mrs. Blake.

Miss Lorraine Cole, student nurse at CMG Hospital, Lewiston, and her roommate, Miss Susan Carey of Barre, Vt., were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cole.

There will be a PTA meeting Tuesday night, January 24, at the High School.

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NOTICE

My radio, T V, and appliance business has been turned over to my son, Clayton Crockett. He will be located at Crockett's Garage until April 1, after which he will be located at his home on the Locke Mills road.

RAY E. CROCKETT

WEST BETHEL

Mrs. Lona Gilbert, Correspondent

tended a Maine Teachers' Association meeting at Augusta, Saturday. Mildred and Jeffery Twitchell spent the day with their grandfather, Frank Colburn, in Pittston.

The Broilermaker's Club was entertained Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McInnis. Members present were: Mr. and Mrs. Mattie Seilonen, Oxford; Mrs. Oscar Tikander, South Paris; Mr. and Mrs. Alan Millett, Hebron, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Woodward, West Minot. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Timberlake of Hebron were guests.

The Jolly 4-H Club met at the home of the leader, Mary Emmons. After the business meeting Mrs. Billings gave a lecture on "Giving Demonstrations." The club demonstrations will be held at Pinhook Church, January 26, at 7:30, with the public invited.

Michael Robins of Huntsville, Ont., and Ted White of Ottawa, both students of the University of New Brunswick, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lasseter.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Westcott entertained guests over the week end. A birthday supper party was given Saturday evening honoring three birthdays. The guests of honor were Charlene Swain, Norman Westcott, and Myron Westcott. Other guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Swain and daughters, Diane and Leah Mae, Bethel; Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Swain, Bethel; Miss Roberta Bartley, Portland, and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Swain of New York. Roberta Bartley and Myron Westcott, both of Portland, were also guests Sunday.

A luncheon was served in the Town Hall, Wednesday, January 18, by members of the Star Birthday Club. Mrs. Miriam McAllister, Associate Matron, was in charge of the luncheon, and those assisting her on the committee are: Mrs. Kathleen McAllister, Mrs. Ruby Ring, Mrs. Gertrude Gaugler, Bryant Pond, and Mrs. Cora Bennett and Mrs. Dora Ford, Locke Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. John Marshall and family of West Paris and Mr. and Mrs. H. Stanley Andrews and family were guests of Mrs. Addelynn Mann, Wednesday evening to a birthday supper party in honor of Miss Bethany Andrews.

The Woodstock Extension Association will meet Thursday afternoon, January 19, at the home of Mrs. Elsie Cole, at 1:00 o'clock. The subject, "Let's Take Care of Our Clothes" is in charge of the Clothing Leader, Alberta Harlow. Members are requested to bring something for a Silent Auction, also to bring a list of books which they are willing to donate to the High School library.

Past Matrons, all present officers, and any member of Jefferson Chapter, OES, are invited to the home of Mrs. Addelynn Mann, Thursday evening, January 19, for a discussion of the By-Laws. Refreshments will be served by the hostess.

WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP

Wednesday, January 25th, is Circle Day. This being the first Circle meeting of the New Year, everyone is urged to attend. New Circle leaders and other committee members will be chosen at each Circle meeting.

Circles will meet at the following places: No. 1, Nan Timberlake, 7:30 p. m.; No. 2, Emily Saunders, 7:30 p. m.; No. 3, Marguerite Clark's, 6:30 p. m.; pot luck supper; No. 4, Ruth Dorion's, 7:30 p. m.; No. 5, Florence Emery's, 2:00 p. m.; members are reminded to bring articles for a white elephant sale.

The Ladies Chapel Aid Society met at the home of Dorris Walker Wednesday evening, Jan. 11th, with fourteen present. Helen Saunders and Catherine Wilson were admitted to membership. Several thank you notes were read from shut-ins and others who had received Christmas baskets and gifts. Voted to sponsor a food sale Feb. 15th. Next meeting at Ruth Gilbert's Feb. 22 at 7:30.

Pleasant Valley Grange No. 136 met Thursday evening Jan. 12th at Lona Gilbert's with Worthy Master Earle Graves presiding. Voted to donate to Maine Children's Home in Augusta. Thank you notes read from sick members for gifts received also for Christmas and birthday gifts. The following program was presented: Mystery March, won by Mary Jo Head; a discussion was held, subject, "What I Would Like My Grange to do in 1961"; Facts about cards, How the suits received their names 600 years ago, as told by several members; Reading, "Times are Bad," Lona Gilbert. Refreshments served to fifteen members and one visitor. The next meeting Jan. 26th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Dupes and son, David, of Norton, Mass., were visitors in town on the week end and visited Mrs. Dupes' mother, Mrs. Maggie Lowell, at the Rumford Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. James Blaquiere and family of Norway visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Davis, on Saturday.

Ralph Thompson and Clarence Kimball of Bolster's Mills were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lovejoy on Saturday.

Sunday visitors at the Lovejoy home were Mr. and Mrs. James Terry of South Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Stone of Berlin, N. H.

Mrs. Maggie Lowell who un-

derwent surgery at Rumford Community Hospital last week is making a good recovery and is expected to be discharged this week end. She will go to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clayton Kendall, for a convalescent period.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert, Sheila, Rowena, Roberta, and Martha Stowell, were at their camp on Lake Thompson, Sunday.

Dena, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph MacArthur was discharged from St. Louis Hospital, Berlin, on Saturday, Jan. 14th.

Darryl, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph MacArthur, is recovering from an attack of old fashioned measles. David came down with them on the week end.

Mrs. Donald Bennett entertained Sunday night in honor of her husband's birthday which occurred on Monday. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bennett, Mrs. Catherine Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Boyd and Craig, Mrs. Mary Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Gilbert, Robert, Lee, Linda and Reginald, and the honored guest. Cake and ice cream were served.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Emery of Fryeburg were guests of Mrs. Emery's mother, Mrs. Merle Emery, Sunday night.

Mrs. Kenneth Lovejoy has returned home from Auburn where she has been helping care for her daughter's family, Mrs. Wilbur Mitchell's, while she was in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newton visited relatives in Dixfield, Saturday.

Mrs. Clayton Kendall and Mrs. Charles Hancock were in Rumford Tuesday afternoon to visit Mrs. Maggie Lowell who is a patient at Rumford Community Hospital.

Mrs. Edmund Smith came

home Sunday. Mrs. Smith has been spending some time at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Milton Mills, Bryant Pond, after being a patient at Rumford Community Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McKean of Bryant Pond were visitors at Roy Newton's, Sunday.

Supt. Olive Head, reported 26 children attended Sunday School at West Bethel Union Church, Jan. 15th.

Lillian Pulsifer of Minot was called here Sunday by the serious illness of her father, Erastus Westleigh.

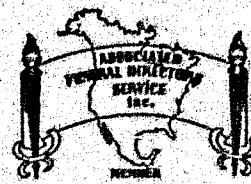
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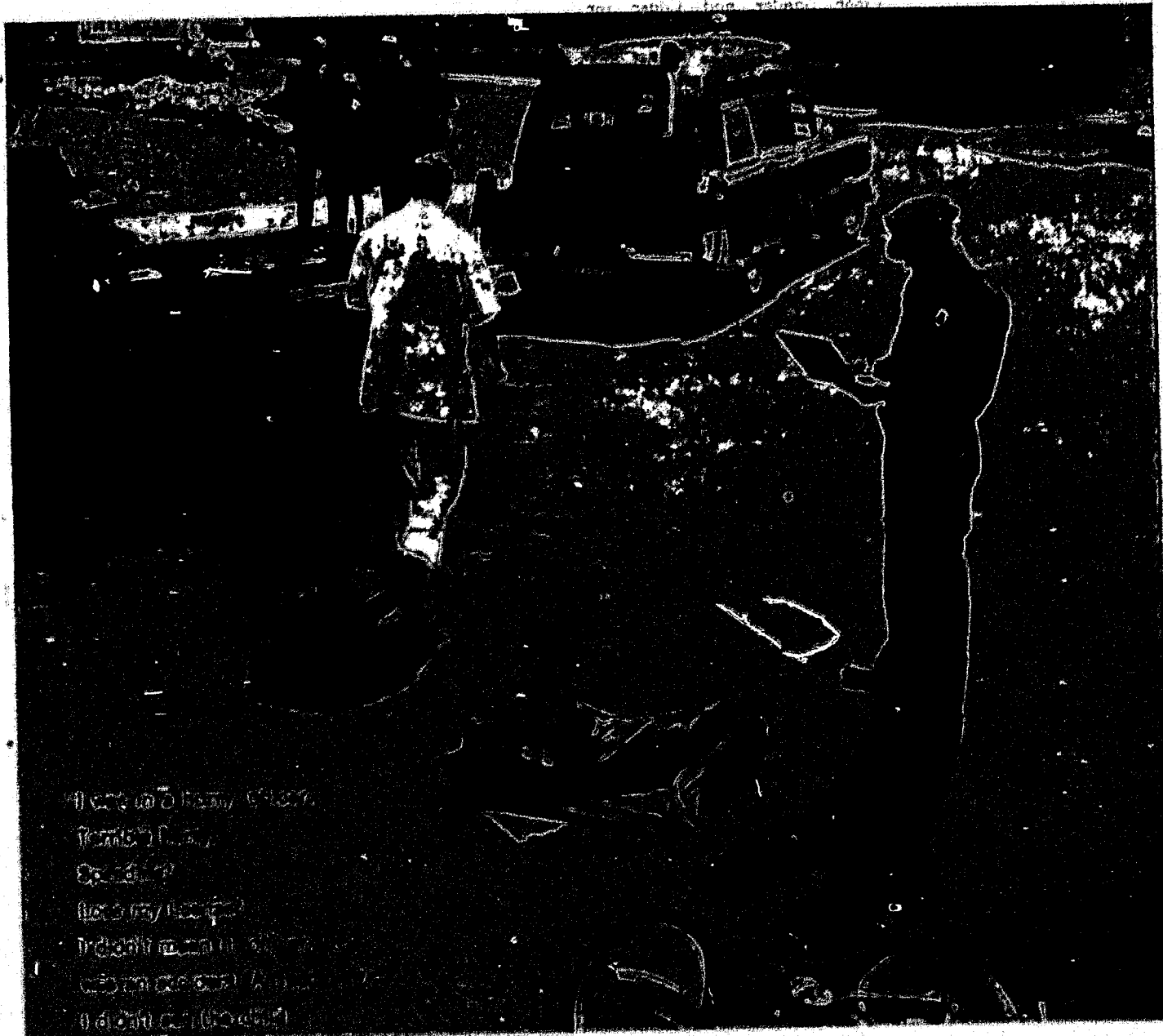
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LOCKE MILLS

Mrs. Dwight Martin, Correspondent

Pfc. Richard T. Hutchins returned to the Army Missile Base at Danvers, Mass., last Monday after spending the week end as a guest of his wife, Mrs. Marjorie Hutchins and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bowers Sr. at their home in Greenwood Center. Next week Pfc. Hutchins will be transferred to Texas, where he will be stationed for the next three months.

Mrs. Mary Corkum accompanied by her son, Allan, spent last week end in Concord, Mass., where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Peachy, and visited with Verne Corkum who recently underwent further surgery at the Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary. Mr. Corkum was released from the hospital a week ago Thursday but will be an out-patient for some time yet.

Allan, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ryder, of Greenwood Center, is confined to his home with whooping cough.

Cub Scout Den Four Group One will meet Saturday morning at 10:00 a. m. at the home of the den mother, Mrs. John Chase, on Howe Hill. Bobby Coolidge and Rodney Chase, Jr., will be in charge of refreshments. Group Two will meet at the home of the assistant den mother, Mrs. Warren Smith, at the same time with Andrew Bartlett in charge of refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Lurvey of Westbrook spent last week end as guests of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Melville and family.

Word has been received that Douglas Blake, son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Blake of Berlin, N. H., had the misfortune to fracture his leg while skiing at Rumford. Cards will reach him at Sweden Street, Berlin. The Blakes have a summer residence on Round Pond in Greenwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coolidge entertained at a party last Sunday at their home on the Howe Hill Road in honor of his mother who was celebrating her birthday. Mrs. Coolidge was presented with two birthday cakes; a sum of money and many other lovely gifts. A son, Calvin, who lives in Philadelphia, Pa., called by phone to convey his congratulations. A social evening was enjoyed and refreshments were served to the following guests: Mrs. Stanley Merrill, Cathy, Cheryl, and Jeannine; Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Henry Leach entertain-

Willfred Coolidge, Tommy and Herbie; Jackie and Nancy Saunders, all of Bethel; "Bing" Cross; Mrs. James Blanchard, Mrs. Malcolm Packard, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Martin, Mary Jane and Carole; Bobby, Linda, Billy, Eddie and Mary Ellen Coolidge, the host and hostess and the guest of honor.

Jackson Silver Post No. 68, A. L. and Unit, will hold a meeting Thursday evening (tonight) at 7:30 p. m. at the Legion Hall.

The Mount Abram Fish and Game Association will meet Thursday evening (tonight) at the Town Hall. A 6:30 pot luck supper will precede the meeting with Mrs. Norwood Ford in charge of the dining room. After supper Paul Dourity will show colored pictures of his trip to British Columbia. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Hathaway, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Swan and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Cross represented the Jackson Silver Post No. 68 A. L. at the district meeting and the reception that was held for the vice president of the 2nd district, Mrs. Doris Cochran, at Wilton, last Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ellsworth Hathaway has been named chairman for the New March of Dimes Drive for the Town of Greenwood.

Mrs. Bertha Emmons is helping to care for Mrs. Clifford McAllister who is confined to her home with a fractured ankle.

The Greenwood Parent Teachers Group will hold a regular meeting Monday evening at the Village school house at 7:30 p. m. Supt. Eric Sahlgren will be the guest speaker. Refreshments will be served under the direction of Mrs. John Chase, Mrs. Fred Haines and Mrs. Charles Morse. Every one is being urged to attend.

Mrs. Warren Smith entertained at a party after school Tuesday in honor of the tenth birthday of her son, Ronald. Games were played and the honor guest received many gifts. Refreshments including a decorated cake were served to the following: Penny Twitchell, Crystal Hebert, Joanne Bickford, Cleve Batchelder, Bobby Coolidge, Jimmy Johnson, Patty Dunham, Diane Seames, Andy Bartlett, Sharon Swan, Scott Blanchard, Harold and Charlie Smith and the guest of honor, Mrs. Henry Leach entertain-

MAINE TRUCK TAXES PAY 85.1% OF ROAD UPKEEP

The following article contains interesting facts regarding the State of Maine's trucking industry. The facts were gathered and published in the Fact Book of Maine Trucking, by the Maine Truck Owners Association, under the direction of H. Blaine Sanborn, president.

They were submitted to us in this condensed form by a resident of Bethel, in the hopes that you might gain a better understanding of this great industry and realize what it means to every citizen of the State of Maine.

Did You Know
1 out of 5 Maine workers are employed by the trucking industry?

Maine Has
304,100 total employed
62,762 employed by the trucking industry.
5,203 employed by the railroads.

It Pays Well
average annual wage
5,006 trucking industry
3,680 manufacturing industry
3,617 other

And Invests Money
15.6 million paid for new equipment in 1959
76.4 million is the market value of 70,925 trucks in our State of Maine

These above figures do not include vehicles used or persons employed by the lumber industry in off the highway operations. These persons and vehicles would add substantially to the above totals.

ed Wednesday morning at a coffee at her home in Greenwood. A social hour was enjoyed and refreshments served to the following guests: Mrs. Henry Bowers, Mrs. Frank Leach, Mrs. D. H. Tebbets, Mrs. Everett DeNormandie, Mrs. Dwight Martin and the hostess.

The following members of Jackson-Silver Post attended the supper and County Council meeting Tuesday at the Stone-Smart Legion Home at Norway: Mr. and Mrs. Richard Melville, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Dunham, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Swan, Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Hathaway, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Owens, Mr. and Mrs. J. Everett Howe, William Bailey, Ray Hanscom, Harry Swan, Jr., Kenneth Wakefield, and Charles Morse.

WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP MEMBERS LISTED

The following is a list of the members of the Women's Fellowship and the Circles to which they will belong for the coming year:

Circle No. 1: Mrs. Constance Thurston, Mrs. Sally Ramage,

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Compare These Percentages!

Registrations:

All vehicles 354,046

Trucks 70,272

Percentage 19.8%

Registration fees:

All vehicles 7,508,000

Trucks 3,311,000

Percentage 44.1%

Fuel tax:

All vehicles 21,500,000

Trucks 7,052,000

Percentage 32.8%

Motor carrier tax:

All vehicles 146,000

Trucks 146,000

Percentage 99.3%

Misc. Rec.:

All vehicles 2,031,000

Trucks 473,000

Percentage 23.3%

This means that Maine trucks account for only 19.8% of the state's registered vehicles yet pay a total of 44.1% of the total registration fees, 32.8% of the state's fuel tax, and a total of 35.2% of all taxes.

Truck Tax Equivalent To

85.1% of Maine expenditures of maintaining highways & bridges in fiscal 1958

47.5% of Maine expenditures for construction highways & bridges in fiscal 1958

Trucks Move More

42.0% trucks moved to market

29.6% rails moved to market

28.4% water & other modes of transportation moved to market

Mrs. Annie Hastings, Mrs. Marie Brown, Mrs. Nan Timberlake, Mrs. Carolyn Brooks, Mrs. Mary Chadbourne, Mrs. Edith Eypper, Mrs. Edith Rowe, Mrs. Celia Gorman, Mrs. Judith Haskell, Mrs. Sally Bennoch, Mrs. Florence Hastings, Mrs. Viola Luxton, Mrs. Alzena Sargent, Mrs. June Greig, Mrs. Ruth Wilson, Mrs. Barbara Young, Mrs. Eda Carver, Mrs. Mary Moore, Mrs. Melva Willard, Mrs. Barbara Douglas, Mrs. Lois Burgess, Miss Helen Varner, Mrs. Pauline Myers.

Circle No. 2: Mrs. Lillian Smith, Mrs. Olive Lurvey, Mrs. Betty Anderson, Mrs. Mary Keskies, Mrs. Hilda Donahue, Mrs. Mary Davis, Mrs. Evelyn Bennett, Mrs. Barbara Bryant, Mrs. Iva Hutchinson, Mrs. Doris Hutchins, Mrs. Gertrude Hutchins, Mrs. Virginia Noble, Mrs. Marguerite Scott, Mrs. Emily Saunders, Mrs. Doris Lord, Mrs. Sudie Vachon, Mrs. Marguerite Trinward, Mrs. Neva Coolidge, Mrs. Janet Richardson, Mrs. Sally Bickford, Mrs. Suzanne Fiske, Miss Rose Rozek, Miss Julia Brown, Miss Elizabeth Mason.

Circle No. 3: Mrs. Rosalind Chapman, Mrs. Virginia Hutchins, Mrs. Betty Mills, Mrs. Helen Smith, Mrs. Hazel Trinward, Mrs. Ruth Hastings, Mrs. Marguerite Clark, Mrs. Beryl Manson, Mrs. Jean Kailey, Mrs. Daisy LeClair, Mrs. Monique Rolfe, Mrs. Barbara Brown, Mrs. Elizabeth Glines, Mrs. Virginia Cole, Mrs. Frances Ben-

nett, Mrs. Edith Robertson, Mrs. Doris Chase, Mrs. Violet Bennett, Mrs. Elizabeth Lord, Mrs. Madelyn Hunt, Mrs. Ruth Kittredge, Mrs. Jean Jenkins, Mrs. Patricia Carter, Miss Ida Packard, Miss Eva Bean.

Circle No. 4: Mrs. Lois Tenney, Mrs. Gloria Winslow, Mrs. Tina Smiley, Mrs. Ruth Dorion, Mrs. Ruth Ames, Mrs. Lillias Coolidge, Mrs. Ethel Bisbee, Mrs. Arlene Morrill, Mrs. Elsie Waldron, Mrs. Elizabeth Wheeler, Mrs. Janet Stowell, Mrs. Joy Royer, Mrs. Rebecca Bailey, Mrs. Helen Morton, Mrs. Isabelle Jacobs, Mrs. Beatrice Felt, Mrs. Mary Rice, Mrs. Barbara Lucas, Mrs. Mary Cobb, Mrs. Jean Owens, Mrs. Reona Heino, Miss Beatrice Brown, Miss Geneva Johnston, Miss Alice Ballard.

Circle No. 5: Mrs. Marjorie Barker, Mrs. Nell Valentine, Mrs. Ina Mundt, Mrs. Florence Emery, Mrs. Marion Hall, Mrs. Marie Nichols, Mrs. Florence Thurston, Mrs. Leonora Knowles, Mrs. Estelle Goggin, Mrs. Ava Austin, Mrs. Helen Jacobs, Mrs. Alice Taylor, Mrs. Edith Brown, Mrs. Gladys Heywood, Mrs. Ruby Briggs, Mrs. Raymond Foster.

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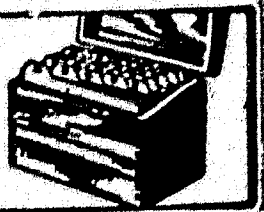
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FROM OUR FILES



10 YEARS AGO

Norman Mills of Bryant Pond purchased P. C. Mayhew's grist mill at West Paris. Mr. Mayhew had been in business there 41 years.

Officers of the Bethel Players were: president, John Robinson; vice president, Addison Saunders; secretary, Mrs. Richard Waldron; treasurer, Mrs. Harlan Hutchins.

Buildings of E. Walker Abbott, known as the Logan place near Crooked River in Albany were burned.

Deaths: George S. Magill, Enos A. H. Farnum, Jerome B. Smith.

20 YEARS AGO

Ellicy C. Park was elected president of Bethel National Bank. He had served as cashier since organization in 1905.

Bethel Bowling Alleys were opened in J. B. Chapman's new Central Service Station building.

Deaths: Mrs. Nellie Ellingwood, Mrs. Lena Mustonen, Anzus Fraser.

30 YEARS AGO

The Bethel Congregational Men's Club served a supper to 200 people, followed by an entertainment by Prof. Hanscom, Mr. Bigelow and the men's chorus.

SKI CLUB STARTS

"HOSTESS" PROGRAM

The Sunday River Ski Club inaugurated its "hostess" program with praiseworthy success Saturday. The Skiway Lodge will be "manned" with charming ladies Saturdays, Sundays and holidays, at least. Each hostess will be on duty for 2 or 2½ hours at a time, from 9:30 to 4:00. They will be fully acquainted with the specifications and operation of the area including the Ski School and Ski Club. They render baby-sitting service, arrange overnight accommodations for skiers and maintain information on slope events. Their duties are also to aid in good housekeeping of the tables, windows, rest rooms, telephone, etc., and to circulate among the patrons with a view to making all visitors feel at home and glad to return with friends to the "happy family atmosphere" of the Sunday River Skiway.

The following ladies have volunteered to serve, as scheduled by Barbara Douglas: Mary Angevine, Carolyn Brooks, Esther Brown, Barbara Bryant, Mary Chadbourne, Barbara Douglas, Virginia Cole, Edith Epper, Philippa Glines, Annie Hastings, Helen Hillier, Mary Paine, Sally Ramage, Helen Remsen, Alzona Sargent, Emily Saunders, Sylvia Sloane, Tena Smiley, Janet Stowell, Margaret Trinward, Elsie Waldron, Barbara Young, Polly Myers, Alma Young.

January duty schedule: Saturday, Jan. 21: 1st shift, Helen Hillier and Alzona Sargent; 2nd shift, Sylvia Sloane and Margaret Trinward; 3rd shift, Elsie Waldron and Alma Young.

Hearts may be attracted by assumed qualities, but the affections are not to be fixed but by those that are real.

—Charles Alexandre de Moy

BORN

In Berlin, N. H., Jan. 15, to Mr. and Mrs. George Stowell III of Bethel, a daughter, Rachel Ann.

In Rumford, Jan. 12, to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Davis of Newry, a daughter, Wendy Marie.

MARRIED

In West Paris, Jan. 7, by Rev. Glenn McKee, Bruce Abbott and Miss Bonnie Jean Cyr.

DIED

In Stockton, Calif., Jan. 10, Mrs. Marguerite C. Bartlett, formerly of Bethel, aged 67 years.

In Rumford, Jan. 14, Mrs. Maude L. Chapman of Bethel, aged 77 years.

In West Bethel, Jan. 19, Thomas Erasmus Westleigh, aged 74 years.

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40 YEARS AGO

Temperatures of 18 below zero and winds for several days featured the coldest weather of the winter.

George Allan England, famous author, formerly of Bryant Pond, was chosen scenario director for Metropolitan Films Co. of Boston.

50 YEARS AGO

Harry Hastings was appointed deputy sheriff in Bethel.

Deaths: Leander T. Barker, Rev. D. R. Ford, Mrs. T. G. Lary.

60 YEARS AGO

The residence of J. A. Thurston, on the site of one burned the summer before in Mayville, was nearly completed.

A tremendous amount of freight was going on the Grand Trunk into Canada. In one night there were 25 west bound freight trains.

The old railroad house at the corner of Mechanic and Railroad Streets was removed. It had housed the local grain business of C. B. Cummings & Sons, who moved their stock to the Haskell cider mill in the corn shop.

4-H CLUB NEWS

The Early Risers 4-H Club held a meeting at the East Bethel School Jan. 13. Thirteen members were present and we judged potatoes. Mr. and Mrs. Thurston visited our meeting. Refreshments were served. Club Reporter, Dennis Jackson.

The Spoon and Hoe 4-H Club held its meeting at the home of the leaders on January 14. We discussed plans for our parents' meeting. Then each member did a demonstration. The judges picked Donald Young, Merry York, Anita Young and Katrina Lowe to go to the tournament on Thursday. Refreshments of punch and cookies were served by Katrina Lowe and Rebecca Brown. Committees for next week's meeting are, refreshments, Cynthia Crockett and Laurel Brown, entertainment, Rebecca Brown. — Nancy L. Brown, Reporter.

The Busy Beaver 4-H Club entertained the mothers Monday afternoon at the home of their leader. Demonstrations were given by all the members and the best ones chosen to be given Thursday evening at the Demonstration Tournament. Those chosen were: Danna Brown, (single) gift doll; Harriet Hillier and Martha Keniston, (double) tricks and treats with cereal; Maryvonne Rolfe and Becky Keniston, (double) child care.

Young.
Sunday, Jan. 22: 1st shift, Alzona Sargent and Esther Brown; 2nd shift, Helen Remsen and Edith Epper; 3rd shift, Barbara Douglas and Emily Saunders.

Saturday, Jan. 28: 1st shift, Alzona Sargent and Emily Saunders; 2nd shift, Alma Young and Barbara Young; 3rd shift, Barbara Bryant and Margaret Trinward.

Sunday, Jan. 29: 1st shift, Alzona Sargent and Mary Paine; 2nd shift, Mary Chadbourne and Barbara Douglas; 3rd shift, Elsie Waldron and Alma Young.

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MRS. MARGUERITE BARTLETT

Mrs. Marguerite C. Bartlett died unexpectedly at her home in Stockton, Calif., Tuesday, Jan. 10. She had resided there for two years.

She was born in Boston, Nov. 12, 1893, the daughter of James and Catherine Donahue Clifford. She lived in East Bethel for 23 years prior to moving to California. Her husband, J. Cleveland Bartlett, died on Oct. 7, 1958. She was a member of Mishemokwa Temple, P. S., Hanover; the Alder River Grange, East Bethel; and the Bethel Congregational Church.

Surviving are a son, Albert Bernard, of Stockton; three daughters, Mrs. Shirley Eby, Stockton; Mrs. Esther Austin, Springfield, Mass.; and Mrs. Helen Secord, Hopkinton, Mass.; seven grandchildren; seven great grandchildren; and three sisters, Miss Maybelle Clifford, Miss Myrtle Clifford, and Mrs. Marion Faron, all of Boston.

Funeral services were held at the Greenleaf funeral home, Monday afternoon, Rev. Clifford Laws officiating. Interment at East Bethel in the spring.

MRS. FRANK P. CHAPMAN

Mrs. Maude L. Chapman, wife of Frank P. Chapman, died Saturday evening at the Rumford hospital, where she had been admitted earlier in the day. She had been in ill health for some time.

She was born June 14, 1883, at Bethel, the daughter of George and Annie Ely Seavey, and attended Bethel schools.

She is survived by her husband; three daughters, Mrs. Raymond Harthorne, Mrs. Blanche Garrison and Mrs. Dorothy Tuttle, all of Portland; four sons, Ivory and John Currier, both of Bethel, Fred Chapman of Hartford, Conn., and James Chapman of Augusta; two sisters, Mrs. Alice Waterhouse of Bethel and Mrs. Hazel Hanscom of South Paris; and several grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the Greenleaf funeral home Tuesday afternoon, Rev. Richard Hamilton officiating. Burial will be at Abbotts Mills in the spring.

SONGO POND

—Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres.

Don Cross injured his shoulder while skiing over the weekend but is better now.

Miss Lona Keniston spent the week end at home from Portland. She had as guests, Miss Sandra Wilde and Susan Ions. They enjoyed skiing at Mt. Abram. Mary Ellen Willard was a supper guest also.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kimball and family of South Waterford were callers at Earlon Keniston's, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kimball and family were in Berlin, N. H., Tuesday evening. Ralph Kimball has been ill with a bad cold.

Mrs. Marion Kimball has employment at Kendall Dowel Mill.

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50 YEARS AGO



Libby Store and Dudley Opera House buildings at Bryant Pond, which were burned in the early morning of April 24, 1928. The Libby building was vacant at that time. The Dudley building, erected by Ansel Dudley in 1903, housed an ice cream parlor, pool room, post office, and motion picture equipment, all of which were destroyed.

CUB SCOUTS

Jan. 4, 1961: Den 8 met at Mrs. Remington's home. We cut out and colored South American countries, then we pasted them into a puzzle, then we played magic games, then we had the living circle, then we went out and played king on the mountain. —Keeper of the Buckskin, Lincoln Fiske.

Den 5 met on Tuesday. We finished our houses. Philippe will bring refreshments next time. Cubs will each bring a story to tell about South America next week. We closed with the Living Circle. —Ricky Young, Keeper of the Buckskin.

Den 3: We started out by having raised doughnuts and grape juice furnished by Mike Inman. We finished our maps of Brazil and made lariats out of a dowl, crepe paper, scotch tape and string. We ended by having the living circle. —Keeper of the Buckskin, Douglas Farrar.

Cub Scouts, Den 4, met at the home of our Den Mother, Chris Bailey and Jimmy Young reported on two countries in South America. We made moon rockets out of straws and balloons. Refreshments were brought by Henry Deegan. —Keeper of the Buckskin, Henry Deegan.

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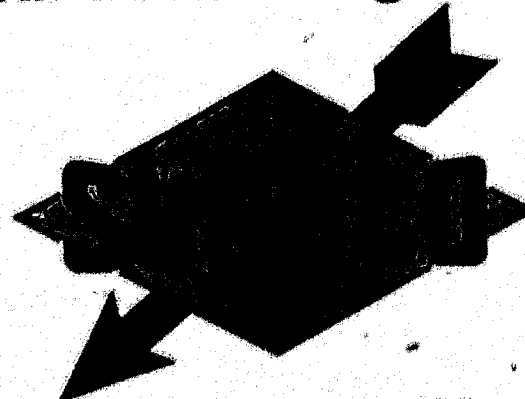


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